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Per order of the board of patent appeals and interferences, mailed 9/26/06,

the examiner's reply on 7/20/06 has been vacated, and

appellant's reply brief, filed 7/13/06, has been received and considered.

No supplemental examiner's answer will be forthcomong, therefore no approval or further actions are necessary.

Michael Cuff September 28, 2006

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